



[Moses said,] "If I find favor with you,
Lord, please, Lord, come along in our company."

EXODUS 34:9

God Up There, God Down Here

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Which of these images best describes your God: gardener, friend, policeman, Santa Claus, magician, doctor, lover, parent, judge, the Force?

Theologically, God is both transcendent and immanent, up there and down here. In other words, God is powerful, majestic, awesome, and all-knowing but always close, caring for us, forgiving, and comforting. Most of us lean toward one or the other in our spirituality. Whichever image you choose will tell you something about how you usually relate to God. None of the images are necessarily right or wrong unless it locks us into relating to God in only one way.

Our tendency to relate to God as either transcendent or immanent may influence our preference for liturgical style. If we view God primarily as transcendent, we will tend to appreciate the Mass as a sacrifice, celebrated formally with processions, incense, and majestic music.

If we tend to relate to God as more immanent, we will tend to appreciate the Mass as a eucharistic meal with the community gathered around the altar table singing simpler music. As God is both transcendent and immanent, we should not have to choose. The ideal liturgical style would incorporate something of both transcendence and immanence.

Today's story of Moses, who climbs Mount Sinai and there bows down in worship before God, is a story of the transcendence of God—majestic, powerful, awesome to behold. Today's gospel is of an immanent God who loved the world so much that he sent his Son, not to condemn it but to save it. ●

Reflect

***Is your personal prayer to God "up there"
or to God "walking with me"?***

PARISH DIRECTORY

Rev. Nicodemus Shaghel, VC, Pastor

Deacon Carl Vessels

St. Rose of Lima Parish

311 S Central Ave, Safford AZ 85546
928.428.4920
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FAX: 928.428.4922
After Hour Phone: 520.507.1145



- ♦ Email: st.roselima@gmail.com
- ♦ Website: www.SaintRoseLima-Safford.com
- ♦ Sunday Masses: 8:00, 11:00 AM & 5:00 PM
- ♦ Saturday Vigil Mass: 6 PM
- ♦ Weekday Mass: 8:00 AM
- ♦ Confessions: Saturday 4:30 PM & by appointment
- ♦ Parish Office & Gift Shop: 9:00 AM-4:15 PM (Mon-Fri)

Board of Directors

Rev. Nicodemus Shaghel
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Pastoral/Parish Council

Membership consists of Representatives from all the Ministries. Contact the Parish Office for more information.

Finance Council

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Gloria Johnson
Jim Warren
John Mayer

Office Staff

Office Manager: Sara Garcia-Hott
Maintenance: Marvin Rios

MINISTRY LEADERS:

Adult Bible Study

English: Bob Mooney

Catholic Daughters of America #2398

Regent: Helen Romero

Choir

English: Marvin Rios
Spanish: Lupe Munoz
Youth: Jane Villalba

Confirmation

Dr. Susan Jones-Hamm

Compliance Officer

James Gersitz

Cursillo

Parish Office

Extraordinary Minister / Homebound Ministry

Adam & Veta Estrada

Funeral Luncheon Groups

Millie Torres Group #1
Camilla Gomez Group #2

Knights of Columbus #4260

Grand Knight: Paul Dube

Lectors

Daily Masses:
Weekend Masses: Veta Estrada

PreCana; George & Pam Gonzales

Prison Ministry

Prison: Ernie Torrio
Federal Prison: John Mayer

Religious Education Director

Madona Kvale

Summer Vacation Bible School

Susan Ortega

R.C.I.A.; Veta Estrada

Sacristans; Brian Hott

Youth Ministry Groups

High School: Amanda Torrio

St. Martin de Porres Mission

50 S Main, Pima AZ 85543

Extraordinary Minister

Ophelia Rodriguez

Religious Education

Grace Gasca
Socorro Varela

St. Vincent de Paul

221 E Main St, Safford, AZ 85546
928.428.0460

Pantry Hours: 10AM- Noon - Tuesday-Thursday

Thrift Store Hours: 9AM-4PM Tuesday-Saturday

President: Linda Lopez

1st Vice President: Dr. Susan Jones Hamm

2nd Vice President: Carmen Burnham

Treasurer: Cindy DeMarcus

Secretary: Carolyn Vessels

Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish

2257 S 1st Ave, Solomon AZ 85551
928.428.0149
Hall: 928.322.8878



- ♦ Email: olgsolomon@gmail.com
- ♦ Sunday Mass: 9:30 AM
- ♦ Parish Office & Gift Shop: 8:00AM-1:00 PM (Mon-Fri)
- ♦ Baptisms: 10AM 2nd & 4th Saturday
- ♦ San Jose Mission: Baptisms and Marriages available upon request

Board of Directors

Frances Lopez, Secretary
Sandra Jurado, Treasurer

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Angie Ornelas
Irene Montoya
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Antonio Jurado
Becky Maldonado
Carol Hernandez

Administrative Assistant

Beatrice Ybarra
Maintenance:

Extraordinary Minister

Religious Education

Angie Ornelas
Sandra Jurado

Newman Center

Serving Eastern Arizona College
3592 W 4th St, Thatcher AZ 85552
Mass: Tuesday 11 AM (when the college is in session)

Sustaining Board

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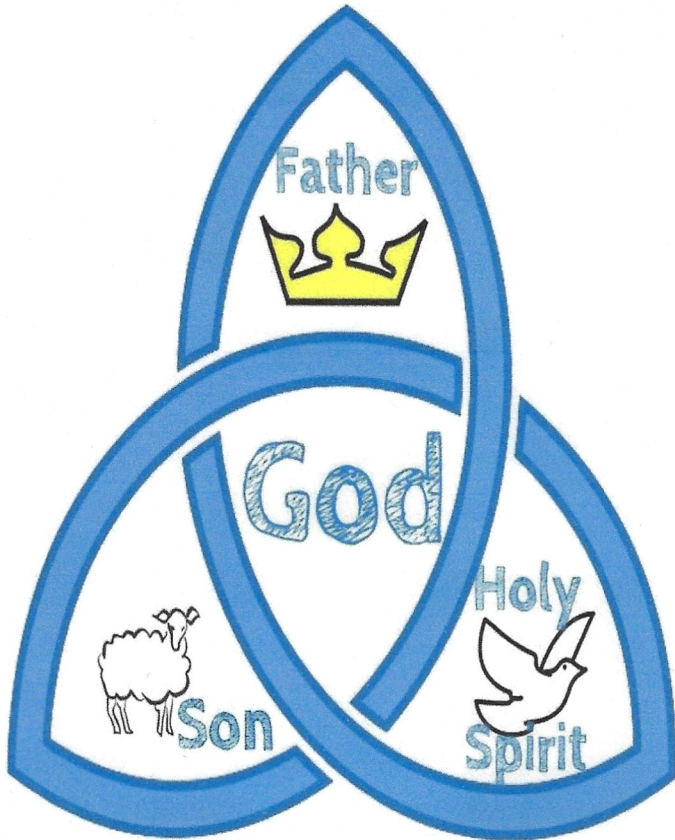
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Margarita & Frank Wulfthange

**St. Rose of Lima Parish
&
Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY
June 4, 2023**



**Safe Environment
Program
Compliance Process**

New Volunteers:

The volunteer application must be filled out on line: go to <https://www.diocesetucson.org/employment-opportunities>

Attention all Employees and Volunteers:

all existing, cleared, and active employees and volunteers are required to complete the Safe Environment

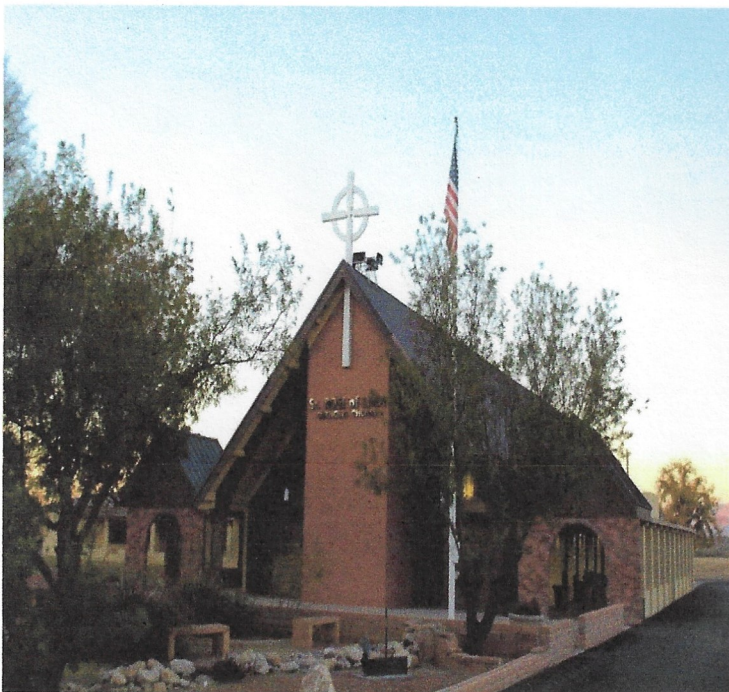
registration process including Account, Personal, and Affiliation details.

IMPORTANT - Register for a New Account:

<https://tucson.cmgconnect.org/>

**REPORT ABUSE
AND THE CALL TO
PROTECT**

<https://www.diocesetucson.org/reportabuse>



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SHRINE



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Our Lady of Guadalupe Church will no longer provide masks at funerals.

Masks are required.

Our Lady of Guadalupe Church will continue to follow protocol of mask wearing and social distancing at Mass.



Adeline Escobedo, Juanita & Donald Torrio, Marvin & Carmen Escobedo, Kate & Carlos Ornelas, Estella Garcia, Pete Burrell, Rosa Martinez, Mary Crawford, Hermillia Carbajal, Sally Gonzales, Angie Ornelas, Roger De Leon, Daniel Jacinto, Janet Gomez, Catherine Maxon, Fernando Aranda, Lillian DeLa Cruz, Mary Maxon, Irene Holguin, Irene Apodaca, Rebecca Montoya, Christina Ybarra, Virgie Romero, Jimmy Holguin, Angela Andazola, David Montez, Peter Bejarano, Gilbert Tellez

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

GOSPEL REFLECTION:

In John's Gospel today, we learn that God showed us his love by sending his Son to save the world. God is always with us. During good times and hard times, we can remember how much God loves us--so much that he sent Jesus to give us eternal life.



• **RE Classes** – RE classes will resume in August. Have a blessed and prayerful summer. Please watch the bulletin for registration information.

• **Daily Activities** – Practice and say your prayers, especially the Act of Contrition, every day. Make it a habit to read the Bible with your family, too.

• **Assignment for the Summer** – Invoke the Holy Spirit every morning to help you to pray with devotion. At the beginning of each day say: "Come, Holy Spirit".

• **Choir** – If you are interested in joining the choir, please call the office and leave your name and a contact number. No audition necessary. All are welcome--adults and children. Come join us!



OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE SAN JOSE MISSION WEEKEND COLLECTION

May 28, 2023

Offertory	\$	895.00
Roof Fund	\$	110.00
Church Candle Offering	\$	138.52
Catholic Communication	\$	392.46
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	134.00

THANK YOUR FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!



**Our Lady of Guadalupe Shrine
San Jose Mission
MOST HOLY TRINITY
Mass Intentions**



Sunday June 4th 2023

+Alfred & +Connie Vietre

+Robert & +Linda Deleon

+Aurora Flores

June 11 2023

+Debra Jurado

+Alicia Martinez

Heavenly Birthday

+Elena V. Aranda

June 18th 2023

+Inocente Holguin

06-04-23 Building Fund
06-11-23 Roof Fund
06-18-23 St. Vincent de Paul
06-25-23 No Collection

Volunteers

**needed for Money Counters, Sacristans,
or other positions of
interest. Please contact OLG office at
928-428-0149.**

Address for mail in contributions, Our Lady of Guadalupe, PO Box 147, Solomon, AZ 85551

Mass Schedule— Sundays 9:30 AM / Weekday Mass Wednesday 9:00 AM

Confession - Wednesdays after Mass. OLG office hours - week days 8:00 am – 1:00 pm OLG Gift Shop is open on weekdays - 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM. Items sold include OLG T-Shirts, Bibles, Saint Statues, Rosaries, Prayer Books, Children's Book, and more.

3:00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

If anyone is interested in teaching or helping with the Religious Education Program for next year, 2022-2023 Please call the office at 428-0149. Volunteers are needed to help clean the church, please call OLG office at 428-0149.

REMINDER - Only candles bought from OLG will be allowed in Church.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Our Lady of Guadalupe website: olgsolomon.com

**Our Lady of Guadalupe is
looking for a
Maintenance Technician.
Please apply on the
Diocese of Tucson
Website
[https://
www.diocesetucson.org/
employment-opportunities](https://www.diocesetucson.org/employment-opportunities)**



UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE:

**Mass will be held at San Jose Mission on
Sunday's @ 9:30am & Wednesday's @ 9:00**



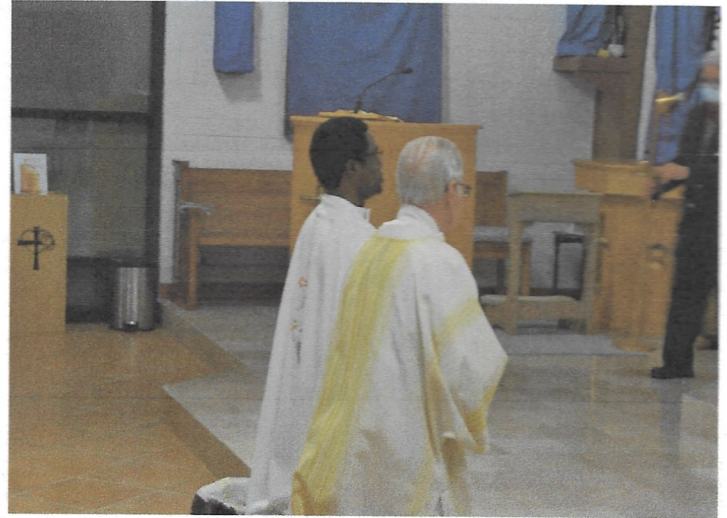
2023 Annual Catholic Appeal June 1, 2023

Goal \$5,000.00

Fulfilled to Date \$4,255.00

85% to Goal \$ 745.00

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Parish



ST. ROSE OF LIMA PARISH Mass Hours



Saturday 6:00 PM

**Sunday 8:00 AM
11:00 AM
5:00 PM**

CONFESSION: SATURDAY'S @ 4:30 PM

2023 Annual Catholic Appeal



June 1, 2023

Goal \$42,340

Fulfilled to Date \$ 21,935.00

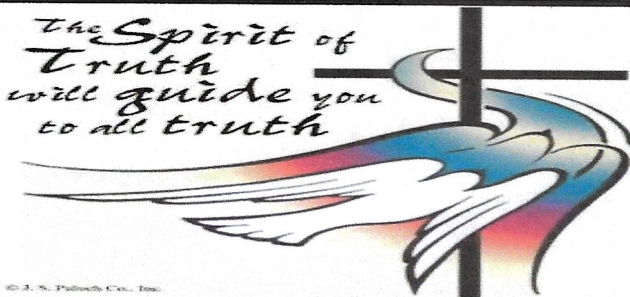
72% remain to goal \$20,405.00

St. Rose of Lima Weekend Collection May 28, 2023



Offertory	\$	4,363.75
St. Vincent de Paul	\$	10.50
Building Fund	\$	55.50
Church Candle offering	\$	138.52
Catholic Communication Campaign	\$	392.46

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!



A.R. Valensuela, Inez Alva, Sara Gallegos, Kerri Lawson, Crystal Madragon, Marcos Cortez, Andrew Gonzales, Amelia Saenz, Ernesto Lopez, Nancy Stowe, Edward Gonzalez, Shelby Peru, Terri Cuarenta, Angelina Rene Rutherford, Rita Lucero, Charlie Kay, Mayia Montes & Contreras Family, Eric Regan, Richard Burke, Barbara Chavez, Jaycob Espinoza, Rosemary Martinez, Albert Romero, Jason Kouts, Erika & Alex Morales, Art Estavillo, Don Romero, Cecilia Perez, Alicia & Ruben Jaramillo, D.J Espinoza, Bobbie Merino, Mitzi Trujillo, Marcus Bejarano, Belen Rodriguez, Christina Chavez, Frances Martinez, Annette Graves, Ricky Bejarano, Mark Romero, Braylyn Gojkovich, Sarah Qunitana, Ysidro Rodriguez, Lydia Hernadez, Mrs. Lupe Rivera, Dora Gomez, Nadiko Gonzales, Lanaya Aranda, Terri Aguilar, Mical Marie Espinoza, Elizabeth Hernandez, Esperanza Stanowitz, Abe Lucero, Izabelah Garcia, Joe Valtierra, Armando Rodriguez, Morales Family, Veronica Montes, Venegas Family, Martin Lucero, Jordan Waller, Gloria & Joe Merino, Millie Torres, Lisa Mullen, Marie Espinoza, Jr. Verdugo, James Romero, Margarita Wulfange, Noe Varela, Ronnie, Rodriguez, Jessica & Sandra Dominguez, Ernesto Trujillo, Gabriel Valtierra & Cyrianna Valtierra, Chono & Anita Aranda, Blessie Estrada, Julio Garcia, Moe Villalba, Chris Ramirez, Desmond Ruiz, Sylvia Estavillo, Shelby & Marcus Madrid, Andrew Espinoza, Jesse & Patsy Aguilar, Rene Saenz, George Quintero Jr., Anna Berta Rodriguez, Stevie Medina, Jimmy Villalva, Teri & Louie Barbosa, Clara Carrasco, Armina (Weda) Brisco, Nancy Abalos, Brianna Fulton, Alex Lukats, Linda Bustamante, Leonard R. Tellez, Damian Dupont, Shirley Rodriguez, Susie Meraz, Lacie Luna, Sally Lukats, Abe Villalba, Mark & Becky Schweickert, Charlene Thermers, Rose Rios, Ralph Martinez, Jr., Linda Lesser, Jose Villalba, Allen Thompson, Barbara Lines, Rasco Arrellin, Serapio Gonzales, Frank Terrazas Sr., Linda Sainz, Louie Aranda Sr.



**ST. ROSE OF LIMA
MOST HOLY TRINITY
JUNE 4, 2023**

Second Collection

06-04-23 Building Fund

06-18-23 St. Vincent de Paul

Daily Divine Mercy Chaplet 3 pm in Chapel

Lady of Fatima First Saturday. Rosary 7:30 am in the church

Rosary: prayed daily @ 7:30 am

Compliance Representative Please call James Gersitz at 928-200-0289 for an appointment.

Private Prayer: Church will be open

Monday - Friday

9:00 AM - 1:00PM (unless Parish office is closed.)

**GIFT SHOP WILL BE OPEN
FROM 12 noon - 4:15 PM
Until further notice**



Mass Intentions June 3, - June 9, 2023

DAY	DATE	Time	INTENTION	REQUESTED BY:
SAT	June 3, 2023	6:00 PM	+Mercy Rivera +Justus Villalba	B. Rivera J. Villalba
SUN	June 4, 2023	8:00 AM	St. Rose of Lima Parishioners	SROL
SUN	June 4, 2023	11:00 AM	+Manuel E. Valles +Marcus Valles	M. Valles
SUN	June 4, 2023	5:00 PM	+Anthony & + Catherine Giorno +Connie Bailon & +Patsy Abalos	R. Giorno I. Bailon
THURS	June 8, 2023	06/08/23	+Mercy Rivera	B. Rivera



If you request a Mass Intention for a day that Father Nicodemus is not celebrating Mass.

Please rest assure Father is celebrating a personal Mass with your intention.

Altar Servers Needed



Please if you would like to be an Altar Server talk with your parents and call the Parish office!

Parents Please talk to your children about this wonderful Ministry. Help encourage your young ones to start getting involved with the church!



PLEASE HELP US HERE IN THE PARISH.

IT HAS COME TO OUR ATTENTION, THAT SOME OF THE RECIPENTS OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION FROM 2018-2019-2020 WERE NOT REGISTERED IN OUR BOOKS. IF YOUR CHILD MADE HIS OR HER FIRST HOLY COMMUNION IN 2018-2019-& 2020, PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE, & PLEASE BRING YOUR CHILD'S CERTIFICATE OR A PHOTO OF YOUR CHILD MAKING THIS SACRAMENT (IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A CERTIFICATE) THIS IS SO WE CAN RECORD THIS INFORMATION IN OUR RECORDS AND IF NEEDED MAKE A NEW CERTIFICATE FOR YOUR CHILD.

WE APPRECIATE ANY HELP YOU MAY GIVE US. ANY TEACHERS THAT HELPED DURING THESE YEARS, SHOULD YOU HAVE ANY NAMES OF STUDENTS OR REMEMBER STUDENTS, PLEASE LET US KNOW.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.

St. Rose of Lima Parish

Is needing another
Bereavement
Lunchon Team.

If you are interest-
ed please call the Parish office
928-428-4920



CONGRATULATIONS TO ST. ROSE PARISHIONER

Brian Avila,

was recently named Chief of Police for Safford.
May the Good Lord bless you and shine upon you as
the New Chief of Police for Safford.

May the Good Lord keep you safe & give you
guidance in your new Chapter of your Duties as
Police Chief.

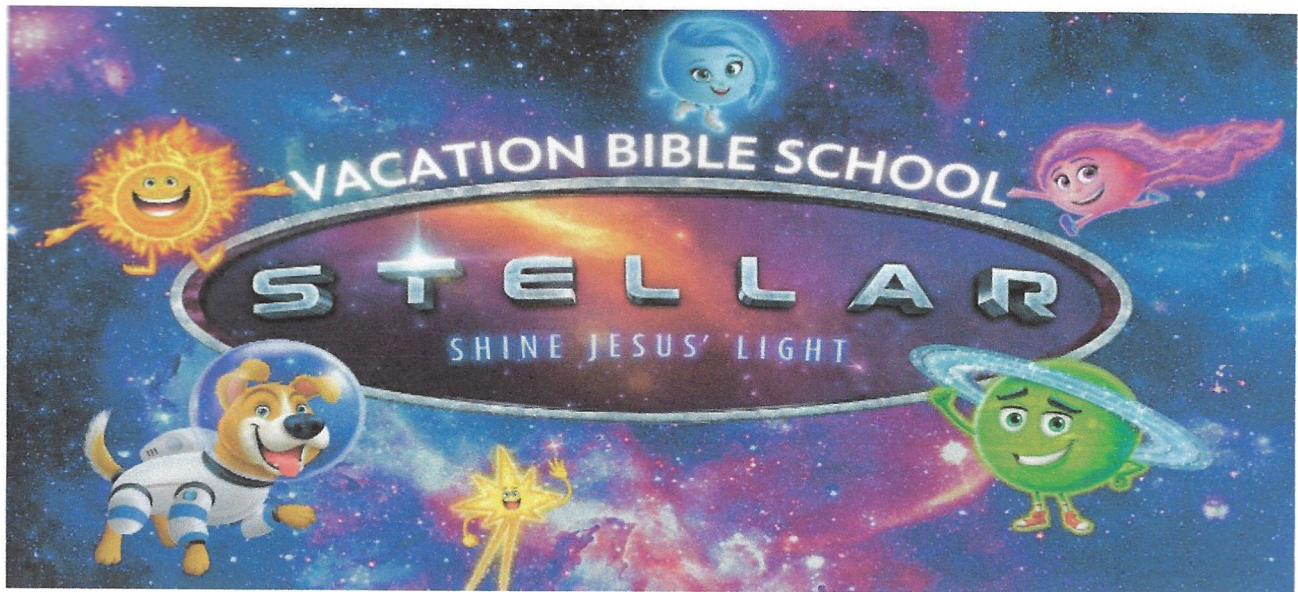
St Rose of Lima Religious Education

Prayers: Be sure to say prayers nightly/daily, so your child learns to talk to God in formal and informal prayer. Practice the prayers for confession, so children know them by heart.

For those children not fully prepared to receive the sacrament they were preparing for, parents are strongly encouraged to continue working with them on the prayers and any other requirement they were missing. You do not have to wait until next year. When you think they are ready or have met the requirements, call me at 928-965-5223 after 3PM.

Please bring your children to Mass with you weekly and remind them to continue collecting bulletins with their name and next year's grade, plus Father's signature, starting now. Anyone preparing for a sacrament in 2023-24 needs the bulletins, but it goes without saying that all children and families should be attending Mass weekly.

Registration for 2023-24 will begin in August. The Committee will meet in June (sometime after June 24th) to plan a calendar for next year that most closely combines the Safford and Thatcher school calendars with our RE Calendar needs.



Vacation Bible School (VBS) will be from June 26-30. Watch the bulletin for more information and how to sign up. it is a great way to learn more about God and have lots of fun. Don't miss out. Have a blessed summer.

Registration for Vacation Bible School (VBS) will be held after every mass on Sunday until June 11, 2023. There are forms in the back of the church you may fill out and leave at the office. You may register after the 11th, but there will be no guarantee that your child may get a T-Shirt.

Please remember there is a Bake Sale after the 11 am mass on Sunday June 4, 2023. All proceeds go to helping fund the Bible Class.

REQUIREMENTS:

Baptisms: The parents of the child to be baptized must submit a copy of the baby's birth certificate. Parents and godparents need to attend the parish baptismal class. Classes are given on the second Saturday of the month from 10:00 a.m. until noon. Parents and Godparents must make an appointment to speak with Father prior to setting baptism date. Please call the office to sign up for the next scheduled class. All requirements for the Diocese of Tucson and Saint Rose of Lima will be given to the parents at this time. Our office staff is limited, therefore, sponsors and godparents proof of sacraments, documents must be submitted at least one month before the baptism.

Quinceañera: The candidate and parents must contact the office at least one (1) year or more before the date requested. **Quinceañera's are not performed during Holy Days.** Requirements: Must have Baptism, First Holy Communion and be coming to confession, active within the parish, participate in Confirmation/Youth Group, Weekend Mass attendance. Candidate and parents will have 6 meetings with Father Nicodemus. Candidate will know how to pray the Rosary, and will read and be able to recite all the books of the bible. Candidate will need to have proof they carried out twenty (20) hours of four (4) different community services. For a quinceañera it will be \$400.00, which includes a non-refundable deposit of \$100.00 to hold the date. The remaining \$300.00 balance must be received in the office one week before the ceremony.

Weddings: The couple must contact office at least 6 months prior to the desired wedding date. An appointment will be made for the couple. At that time it will be determined if the date desired is available, and all requirements for the Diocese of Tucson and Saint Rose of Lima will be given to the couple. For a wedding it will be \$300.00, which includes a non-refundable deposit of \$100.00 to hold the date. The remaining \$200.00 balance must be received in the office one week before the ceremony.

Funeral Arrangements: St. Rose and Our Lady have always asked for a donation to the Parish for its service. We also help those who can not afford funeral arrangements. We work with both mortuaries in town to make these arrangement's as easy as possible. The Priest may wave the donation if the family is in need. Donation to the Priest and Parish is \$300.00.

Use of the Hall: Rental for the hall is \$50.00 along with a \$50.00 refundable deposit. Deposit will be refunded as long as the kitchen is cleaned, trash is thrown, all tables and chairs wiped off, floors cleared of large debris and bathrooms tidied.

FLAME OF LOVE CONFERENCE

* HOLY MASS * ADORATION * FLAME OF LOVE ROSARY *
* CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY * EUCHARISTIC PROCESSION *
* BLESSING WITH ST. CHARBEL OIL *

SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 2023
8:00 AM - 6:30 PM
(Starting with Holy Mass at 8:00 am)

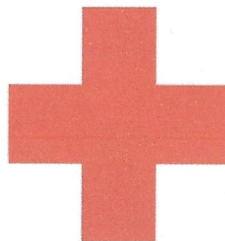
PRESENTED BY:
FR. ROBERT BARCELO, OCS

The event is free but a love offering will be collected.
Lunch will not be provided, please contact Carolina if you need a map of nearby restaurants

Santa Cruz Catholic Church, 1220 S. 6th Avenue, Tucson, AZ 85713
For information call: Carolina Villacueva at 520-639-2415



Give blood.
Every 2 seconds someone
in the U.S. needs blood.
American Red Cross



Blood Drive
Gila Valley Ministerial
Association
at the
First United Methodist Church

Fellowship Hall
1020 S. 10th Ave.
Safford, AZ 85546

Friday, June 9, 2023
9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

For more information or to schedule an appointment,
please call the American Red Cross at 1-800-733-2767
or log onto redcrossblood.org and use sponsor code: GVMMA

Appointment only!

Do good this summer! Come give in June for a \$10 gift
card by email to a merchant of your choice.

1-800-RED CROSS | 1-800-733-2767 | redcrossblood.org | Download the Blood Donor App

Only candles

issued by the

**Parish can be used in the
church!**



**Please do not
move or**

**handle the Glass
Candle Holders.**



<p>Safford Builders Supply</p>  <p>ACE The helpful place.</p> <p>707 S. 6th Ave Safford, AZ 928.428.1033</p>	<p>Kachina Mineral Springs Spa 155 W Cactus Rd Safford, AZ 928.235.4590 Kachinamineralsprings.com</p>	 <p>Place your ad here</p>	 <p>VALLEY FURNITURE & APPLIANCE</p> <p>350 E. Armory Road Safford, AZ 928.348.9340</p>
 <p>THE BRANDING IRON STEAKHOUSE & LOUNGE "She Brill on the Hill"</p> <p>2324 Branding Iron Lane Safford, AZ 85546 928-428-7427 Tues - Thurs 5 pm - 9 pm Fri - Sat 5 pm - 10 pm</p>	 <p>VINING FUNERAL HOME WE'LL TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING</p> <p>428-4000</p>	<p>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Paul Dube Grand Knight 602.527.0700 Meets 1st Wednesdays at 6 p.m.</p> 	<p>Walneck's Safford Sewing Center Jeff & Virginia Walneck Parishioners Hwy 70 & 3rd Ave 928.428.0494</p>
<p>La Casita Cafe "Finest In Mexican Food" 3338 Main St. Thatcher Gracias La Familia Villalobos</p> <p>Thatcher 928.428.1882 Globe 928.428.8162 East Globe 928.428.9280 Show Low 928.537.5179</p>	<p>CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAS Court St. Rose of Lima #2398 Helen Romero, Regent 928.965-6604 Meets 3rd Tuesday's at 6 p.m. At St. Rose of Lima In St. Matthew's room</p> 	<p>Sacred Heart of Jesus Immaculate Heart of Mary</p>  <p>Intercede for Us</p>	<p>Our Lady of Guadalupe Gift Shop Solomon, AZ Open Monday—Friday 8:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.</p> 
<p>CURSILLO LEADERSHIP</p>  <p>For more information, contact St. Rose of Lima Parish Office 928.428.4920</p>	 <p>GREEN'S FURNITURE David Montez the Furniture King 520 W. 5th St Safford, Az 928-428-5900 Your store for value</p>		
<p>Edward Jones</p>  <p>Tyson M. Richins, AAMS®, CRPC® Financial Advisor 411 W. 5th Street Safford, AZ 85546 Bus. 928-348-9219 • Fax 888-806-4909 tyson.richins@edwardjones.com</p>	<p>Torrio Trucking</p>  <p>Parishioners Gary & Amanda Torrio</p>	<p>PEPSI-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY OF SAFFORD</p>  <p>17 N 8th Ave Safford, AZ 85546 928-428-2192</p>	<p>McDougal's Caldwell Funeral Chapel & Gila Valley Crematory</p>  <p>112 E. Main Street ~ Safford, AZ 85546 928.428.1740</p>
 <p>LOWERY CUSTOM HOMES A FOUNDATION OF EXCELLENCE Dean Lowery 928.965.6051</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New Construction • Remodels & Additions • Drafting & Design Services 	<p>Michelle A. Wilson Agent</p>  <p>FARMERS INSURANCE 610 W. Main St Safford, AZ 85546 928.428.1570 farmersagent@vtc.net</p>	 <p>Fifth Avenue Florist Jill Chacon Owner fifthavenueflorist@msn.com 1-928-428-2491 fifthavenueflorist.org</p>	
 <p>ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL</p> <p>ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL, DEFEND US IN BATTLE. BE OUR PROTECTION AGAINST THE WICKEDNESS AND SNARES OF THE DEVIL. MAY GOD REBUKE HIM, WE HUMBLY PRAY, AND DO THOU, O PRINCE OF THE HEAVENLY HOSTS, BY THE POWER OF GOD, THRUST INTO HELL SATAN, AND ALL THE EVIL SPIRITS, WHO PROWL ABOUT THE WORLD SEEKING THE RUIN OF SOULS. AMEN.</p>		<p>AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION</p> <p>My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.</p> 	<p>St. Rose of Lima Gift Shop In the Parish Office Open Monday—Friday 9:00 a.m.—4:15 p.m.</p> 

Dear Padre,

Two relatives of mine died from a disease for which they never sought treatment. Both said, "God will heal me if that is his will." Wouldn't God have wanted them to see a doctor?

It is safe to say that God would have them see a doctor. Does doing so compromise our faith in God? No. Throughout all of salvation history, God has relied on human beings to be his instruments, his messengers. While we believe in God, who can and has acted miraculously throughout history, these moments are exceptions, not the rule. Ordinarily, God's work is done by human hands. The spread of the gospel itself has come about through people who have responded to God in faith.

Part of this gospel story is the healing ministry of Jesus. Christianity has from the beginning taken up Jesus' ministry of healing and attempted to restore health to the sick, not only through prayer and the sacraments but also through institutions that care for the sick and the dying. Even as we recognize that our primary relationship is with God, we must also see that caring for our lives and our health, gifts from that same God, is a responsible way to receive and be good stewards of these gifts.

Think of the training, knowledge, and experience that doctors, nurses, and all other health-care practitioners have spent years attaining. Is not their work a miracle of God's love when it brings healing, restoration, and renewal? ●

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MONDAY

June 5
*St. Boniface,
Bishop and
Martyr*
Tb 1:3; 2:1b-8
Mk 12:1-12

TUESDAY

June 6
Weekday
Tb 2:9-14
Mk 12:13-17

WEDNESDAY

June 7
Weekday
Tb 3:1-11a,
16-17a
Mk 12:18-27

THURSDAY

June 8
Weekday
Tb 6:10-11;
7:1bcd, 9-17;
8:4-9a
Mk 12:28-34

FRIDAY

June 9
Weekday
Tb 11:5-17
Mk 12:35-37

SATURDAY

June 10
Weekday
Tb 12:1, 5-15,
20
Mk 12:38-44

SUNDAY

June 11
*Most Holy Body
and Blood of
Christ (Corpus
Christi)*
Dt 8:2-3,
14b-16a
1 Cor 10:16-17
Jn 6:51-58

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Today we can ask ourselves...do I, who profess faith in God the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, truly believe that I need others in order to live, that I need to give myself to others, that I need to serve others? Do I affirm this in words or do I affirm it with my life?

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